## STATISTICS 350-3 LINEAR MODELS IN APPLIED STATISTICS

Fall 2005 DAY COURSE
Students requiring accommodations as a result of disability, must contact the Centre for Students with Disabilities 604-291-3112 or csdo@sfu.ca
Instructor: Dr. T. Swartz
Prerequisites: STAT 285 and MATH 251.
Textbook:
Supplementary Text - Applied Linear Regression (2nd Edition) by Sanford Weisberg, Wiley

## **Calendar Description:**

Theory and application of linear regression. Normal distribution theory. Hypothesis tests and confidence intervals. Model selection. Model diagnostics. Introduction to weighted least squares and generalized linear models.

## **Outline:**

1. Linear models. Matrix notation, examples of linear and non-linear models. Fitting linear models to data. Least squares. Geometrical interpretation